
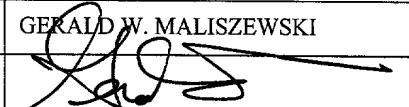


UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Title:		System and Method for Programming the Bit Error Rate of Frame Synchronization Words in a Multidimensional Digital Frame Structure			
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35 U.S.C 122 (b)(2)(B)(i)

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Title
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